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## REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

Docket Number	Anticipated Classification of this Application		Prior Application Examiner	Art Unit
88265-6550	Class:	Subclass:		

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This is a request for filing a  continuation  divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application number PCT/EP00/01752, filed on March 2, 2000 entitled SEALED CARTRIDGE FOR MAKING A BEVERAGE which designated the United States.

Note: 37 CFR 1.53(d) cannot be used to file a continuation or divisional application of an international application which has not entered the national stage.

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